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- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts (1 pg.);
- 2. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts (1 pg.);
- 3. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pgs.);
- 4. Check No. 10653 in the amount of \$65.00 in payment of the surcharge fee; and.
- Return Postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned collect at telephone (617) 542-6000.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees, which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 18989-001CIP (BWH-1CIP).

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